TENNESSEE GENERAL ASSEMBLY FISCAL REVIEW COMMITTEE



FISCAL MEMORANDUM

SB 3745 – HB 3830

April 27, 2012

SUMMARY OF AMENDMENTS (014061, 017620): Deletes all language after the enacting clause. Creates a 12-member committee to study the impact of colon cancer on Tennessee, focusing on prevention, early detection, and treatment. Requires the committee to report its findings and recommendations, including any proposed legislation, to the General Assembly, by January 1, 2013, at which time the committee will cease to exist. Prohibits the committee members from receiving compensation for serving on the committee and from being reimbursed for attending the meetings of the committee.

FISCAL IMPACT OF ORIGINAL BILL:

Increase State Expenditures – \$1,940,842/FY12-13 \$3,694,884/FY13-14 and Subsequent Years \$1,400/Each One-Day Meeting

Increase Local Expenditures – Not Significant

Potential Impact on Health Insurance Premiums (required by Tenn. Code Ann. § 3-2-111): Such legislation may result in an increase in the cost of health insurance premiums for plans that do not cover colorectal screening tests. It is estimated that the increase to each individual's total premium will be less than one percent. A one percent increase in premium rates could range between \$50 (single coverage) and \$140 (family coverage) on average depending on the type of plan.

FISCAL IMPACT OF BILL WITH PROPOSED AMENDMENTS:

NOT SIGNIFICANT

Assumptions applied to amendments:

- All committee meetings will be held in Nashville.
- Committee members will not receive compensation or be reimbursed for serving on the committee or attending the meetings of the committee.

• Any expenditure for the committee to report its findings and recommendations to the General Assembly will be not significant.

CERTIFICATION:

The information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

Lucian D. Geise, Executive Director

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